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1. WHILE UNDERSTAND RATIONALE FOR STATIONING RESIDENT MILITARY ATTACHE IN SANAA, WE CONSIDER ON BALANCE THAT CONTINUATION OF PRESENT NON-RESIDENT ATTACHE ARRANGEMENT WILL BEST FURTHER USG OBJECTIVES IN AREA. AS POSTS AWARE, OUR POLICY REMAINS TO SUPPORT REGIONAL COOPERATION, RATHER THAN A DIRECT U.S. RESPONSE TO YAR'S VERY REAL SECURITY NEEDS. ASSIGNING OF RESIDENT DAO AT SANAA WOULD ALMOST INEVITABLY INSPIRE YAR ANTICIPATIONS OF A MORE DIRECT U.S. MILITARY ROLE IN YEMEN. PRESENT NON-RESIDENT ARRANGEMENT, WHICH HAS WORKED EXCELLENTLY TO DATE, HELPS DEFLECT THIS POTENTIAL PROBLEM.

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2. DO NOT BELIEVE ASSIGNMENT ASSISTANT ATTACHE AT JIDDA

WITH PRIME RESPONSIBILITY FOR YEMEN NOW REQUIRED.
HOWEVER, WE PREPARED EXPLORE POSSIBILITY FURTHER SHOULD
INCREASED REGIONAL MILITARY ASSISTANCE TO YAR
(WITH POSSIBLE ATTENDANT INPUT US EQUIPMENT),
OR OTHER CHANGED CIRCUMSTANCES INDICATE THAT ADDITIONAL
DAO POSITION NEEDED.

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